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EXAMINING GROUP 2154

PATENT 5181-66100/P5018

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.:

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Inventors:

Saulpaugh, et al.

Title:

GENERATING RESULTS

GATES IN A
DISTRIBUTED
COMPUTING
ENVIRONMENT

Examiner:

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Group/Art Unit: 2154

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RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION OF APRIL 27, 2005

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Action of April 27, 2005, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.